

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

CASE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

ORDER SETTING CASE MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE

This action having been assigned to Judge Samuel Conti,  
IT IS ORDERED that a conference will be held before Judge  
Conti on \_\_\_\_\_ at 10:00 A.M. in the United  
States Courthouse, 450 Golden Gate Avenue, San Francisco,  
California.

The parties shall appear in person or through counsel and  
shall be prepared to discuss the future course of the  
litigation including, but not limited to, matters set forth  
in Civil Local Rule 16-10. Parties are to file a written case  
management statement at least 10 days before said hearing date.

The parties are required to comply with the provisions  
of Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 26, Civil Local Rules 16-3 to  
16-10 (patent cases should comply with Patent Local Rule),  
including, but not limited to, the following requirements:

1. The parties must meet and confer no less than 21  
days prior to the initial case management  
conference.
2. The parties must devise a discovery plan and submit  
it, jointly, no less than 7 days prior to the  
case management conference. The parties shall  
submit a proposed order embodying the terms of the  
discovery plan at the status conference.
3. At the "meet and confer" conference referenced in  
paragraph 1, above, the parties shall discuss  
whether and to what extent they shall make the  
kinds of "disclosures" contemplated in Federal Rules  
of Civil Procedure. The parties shall report to the

1 Court the results of this discussion in their case  
2 management conference statement.

3 Following the conference, appropriate orders will be  
4 entered regulating and controlling future proceedings in the case.

5 PLAINTIFF IS DIRECTED TO SERVE COPIES OF THIS ORDER AT  
6 ONCE UPON ALL PARTIES TO THIS ACTION AND UPON THOSE  
7 SUBSEQUENTLY JOINED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF RULES 4  
8 AND 5, FEDERAL RULES OF CIVIL PROCEDURE, and to file with the  
9 Clerk of the Court a certificate reflecting such service.

10 FOR THE COURT:

11 Richard W. Wieking, Clerk

12 By: \_\_\_\_\_

13 Deputy Clerk  
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23 IMPORTANT:

24 SEE ATTACHED ORDER RE TIMELY FILING OF PLEADINGS, BRIEFS, AND  
25 MOTIONS CALENDAR AND ELECTRONIC CASE FILING:

26 Judge Conti's Law and Motion Calendar  
27 is held at 10:00 A.M., Fridays.

1 NOTICE TO ALL ATTORNEYS:

2 ORDER RE TIMELY FILING OF PLEADINGS, BRIEFS, MOTIONS, ETC.

3 It has been noted by the court that many attorneys are not  
4 filing their pleadings and briefs within the time specified in the  
5 Local Rules, nor in the manner or form required. Specifically,  
6 many attorneys have filed briefs and memoranda in excess of  
7 twenty-five (25) pages, without leave of court. Said practice  
8 violates Civil Local Rule 7-4(b).

9 By addressing this order to you, the court does not infer  
10 that you or any member of your firm adheres to this practice, but  
11 rather seeks to put all attorneys on notice.

12 Any pleading or brief hereafter sought to be filed with the  
13 court after the required time, or in an improper manner or form,  
14 shall not be received or considered by the court. Any attorney in  
15 violation of these requirements will be subject to other sanctions  
16 pursuant to Civil Local Rule 1-4.

17 RE ELECTRONIC CASE FILING: In all cases that have been assigned  
18 to the Electronic Case Filing System, the parties are required to  
19 provide one paper copy of each document that is filed electroni-  
20 cally for use in chambers. The paper copy of each document shall  
21 be delivered no later than noon on the day after the document is  
22 filed electronically. Delivery shall be made directly to Judge  
23 Conti's chambers.

24 RE MOTIONS: All pleadings relating to all motions should be  
25 complete as to briefing and argument, as the court will decide the  
26 issues therein without oral argument, unless otherwise ordered by  
27 the Judge. When this occurs, the court will notify the parties  
28 that they need to appear. (Civil Local Rule 7-6)